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: TWO-HANDED COMPUTER INPUT

DEVICE WITH ORIENTED SENSOR

Docket No.: M61.12-0101

Technology Center 2600

Group Art Unit: 2675

Examiner: S. Kumar

NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS PAPER IS BEING SENT BY U.S. MAIL, FIRST CLASS, TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, WASHINGTON, D.C. 20231, THIS

PATENT ATTORNEY

Sir:

Applicant appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed September 17, 2001, finally rejecting claims 1-20, 22 and 23.

FEE STATUS

[] Small entity status under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.9 and 1.27 is established by a verified statement previously filed on ---.

FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. \S 1.17(b) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is:

[X] other than a small entity

\$320.00

[] small entity

\$160.00

EXTENSION OF TIME

These proceedings are for a patent application and the provisions of 37 C.F.R. \S 1.136 apply.

(a) [X] Applicant petitions for an extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)-(d) for the total number of months checked below:

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Extension (months)	Fee for other than small entity	Fee for small entity
[] one month	\$ 110.00	\$ 55.00
[] two months	\$ 400.00	\$200.00
[X] three months	\$ 920.00	\$460.00
[] four months	\$1,440.00	\$720.00

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor.

(check and complete the next item, if applicable)

[X] An extension for one month has already been secured and the fee paid therefor of \$110 is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

Extension fee due with this request \$810

or

(b) [] Applicant believes that no extension of time is required. However, this conditional petition is being made to provide for the possibility that Applicant has inadvertently overlooked the need for a petition and fee for extension of time.

TOTAL FEE DUE

The total fee due is:

Notice of Appeal fee \$320

Extension fee (if any) \$810

Total Fee Due \$1130.00

FEE PAYMENT

- [X] A check in the amount of \$1130.00 is attached.
- [] Charge Deposit Account No. 23-1123, the sum of \$_.

The Director is authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this paper or credit any overpayment to

Deposit Account No. 23-1123. A duplicate сору of this communication is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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